

Title (en)  
SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR INSTALLING A BOOTABLE VIRTUAL STORAGE APPLIANCE ON A VIRTUALIZED SERVER PLATFORM

Title (de)  
SYSTEME UND VERFAHREN ZUM INSTALLIEREN EINES BOOTBAREN VIRTUELLEN SPEICHERGERÄTS AUF EINER VIRTUALISIERTEN SERVERPLATTFORM

Title (fr)  
SYSTÈMES ET PROCÉDÉS PERMETTANT L'INITIALISATION D'UN DISPOSITIF DE STOCKAGE VIRTUEL INITIALISABLE SUR UNE PLATE-FORME DE SERVEUR VIRTUALISÉE

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[origin: WO2010008706A1] One embodiment is a method for booting a bootable virtual storage appliance on a virtualized server platform. One such method comprises: providing a virtual storage appliance on a server platform, the virtual storage appliance configured to manage a disk array comprising a plurality of disks, and wherein at least one of the disks comprises a hidden boot partition having a boot console; powering up the server platform; loading boot code on the server platform; loading the boot console from the hidden boot partition; and the boot console loading boot components for a virtualization environment.

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